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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136

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Sir:

In the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated January 16, 2004, a shortened period for response was set to expire on March 16, 2004. Applicant previously submitted a Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application on March 16, 2004 (received by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on March 19, 2004).

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for an extension of time for responding to the Notice of Incomplete Reply up to and including April 16, 2004.

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TOTAL PETITION FEE \$55.00

The TOTAL PETITION FEE is included with the payment of other papers filed together with this petition.


The other papers enclosed or associated with this communication include:

- ✓ A Response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional) dated April 1, 2004
- ✓ Replacement Drawing Sheet Fig. 3
- ✓ An Abstract of the technical disclosure
- ✓ Copy of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional) – *Filing Date Granted*

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1325. A duplicate copy of this authorization is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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